

# The first record of the tachinid *Lypha dubia* Fallén from Sicily (Diptera: Tachinidae)

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*Lypha dubia* Fl. is for the the first time recorded from Sicily. Some notes on the list of tachinids of Italy are presented.

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## *Lypha dubia* Fallén

*Material.* 1 ♂, Italy, Sicily, Madonie Mountains, 25.IV-8.V.1996 (Eva Wallander), in the collection of the Swedish Museum of Natural History, Stockholm.

The species was known from Northern Italy and is for the first time recorded from Sicily.

After the publication of the list of tachinids of Italy (Richter, 1995) some additions to the fauna were made by Merz (1999). He collected tachinids in Northern Italy (Liguria) in 1997. Two species in his list (*Vibrissina debilitata* Pand. and *Rhacodinella apicata* Pand.) are new for Italy and 3 species (*Dolichocolon paradoxum* B.B., *Tachina grossa* L., and *Thelaira solivaga* Harris) new for Northern Italy.

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